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Date: 3 December 2009

Balfour Beatty Civil Engineering Ltd



Dear Sir

CONTRACT AWARD A5 WESTERN TRANSPORT CORRIDOR – LOT 1 OJEU Ref: 09/S35-50924/EN

Having completed the tender assessment process, the Employer hereby accepts your offer relating to the A5 Western Transport Corridor, Section 1 New Buildings to South of Strabane, dated 2 September 2009. The Employer will now execute a Form of Agreement for Phase 1 and at a later date, subject to the fulfilment of all of the conditions within the Phase 1 Agreement, will execute a Form of Agreement for Phase 2.

In this Contract award letter: "Employer" means the Department for Regional Development; "Consultant" means BbM (Balfour Beatty, BAM Civils FP McCann Joint Venture); and "Employer's Agent" means Mouchel, Shorefield House, 30 Kinnegar Drive, Holywood, County Down BT18 9JQ

The Phase 1 Agreement shall comprise the following documentation:



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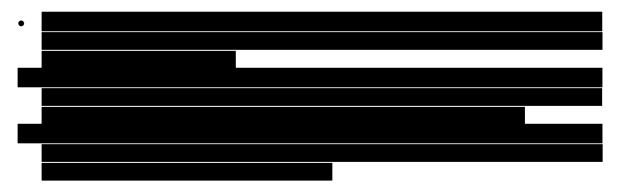
- a) the conditions of contract for main Option E incorporating dispute resolution Option W2 and secondary options X2, X10, X11, Y(UK)2, Y(UK)3 and Z of the NEC3 Professional Services Contract (June 2005) incorporating amendments dated June 2006;
- b) the Schedule of Amendments/Additions to the NEC3 Professional Services Contract, Option E;
- c) the Contract Data Part One;
- d) the Contract Data Part Two;
- e) the Accepted Programme;
- f) the Scope of Services.

The Phase 1 Agreement will be sent to you for signing within two weeks of the date of this letter.

Upon completion of Phase 1, the Consultant will become the Contractor for Phase 2, subject to the conditions precedent of the Professional Services Contract being satisfied, including those stated in clause Z19 Progression to Phase 2. The Agreement for Phase 2 will not be entered into until all of the conditions precedent are fully satisfied.

The Consultant will provide the services as directed by the Employer's Agent via the issue of Task Orders.

Within five days of this letter you must provide to the Employer's Agent written evidence that you have the following insurances:



The Employer requests that you do not give any information concerning this award notification to the press, radio, television or other media without the prior written consent of the Employer.

Yours



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